

## ARIZONA WEEKLY NEWS BUDGET

### What Has Happened in the Territory Since Our Last Issue

#### AN INTERESTING COLLECTION

Of Clippings From News Contemporaries—Gossip of the Busy Week—Activity in the Southern Counties In Pronounced—Douglas City Notes.

Judge Campbell has dissolved the injunction granted by Commissioner Malloy, of Yuma, against the government in favor of the Irrigation, Land and Improvement company. This action by the court means that the government can go ahead with its work unhindered.

It develops now that Deputy United States Marshal Daniels was not really insane in El Paso says the Douglas Dispatch. While taking a prisoner to Oklahoma, Deputy Daniels went without sleep for seventy-two hours and as a result was exhausted. He was found in this condition in El Paso, and the authorities there thought he had gone insane. The strain was so great that he collapsed. Under the care of a physician he has fully recovered.

According to a report issued by the comptroller of the treasury, the deposits in the national banks of Arizona aggregated \$4,418,674.27 at the close of business on August 25th of this year. Over a fourth of this amount was on deposit in the two national banks of Tucson. There are thirteen national banks in operation in the territory, while three are in liquidation. The loans and discounts of all the banks aggregate \$2,888,712.97.

#### PINAL COUNTY BUDGET FROM FLORENCE BLADE

C. I. McReynolds, formerly court reporter for this district, has opened a law office at Bisbee.

Capt. and Mrs. J. G. Keating received a card Thursday, announcing the marriage of Miss Edith May Benson to Wm. Garcia on the 13th, at Christ Church, Los Angeles. Miss Benson is a native of Pinal county and grew into young womanhood in Florence.

The Blade is pleased to note a revival of sentiment in favor of the incorporation of Florence. The disincorporation of the town was strenuously but unsuccessfully opposed by the Blade. It was a step backward that cost us dearly. It drove the railroad to the north side of the river as it dissolved the only body that could give the railroad company a permanent right-of-way through the town.

The Arizona & Eastern is still increasing its grading force in the Gila canyon and at the same time crowding the work of practically rebuilding the road between San Carlos and Bowie. The road should reach Florence some time during the first part of next year. It is a significant fact that General Randolph has a large force of men and teams at work on the track of the Maricopa and Phoenix road between the Gila river bridge and Tempe. This probably means that the Arizona and Eastern will go from Florence to Maricopa to connect with the present main line and that the Phoenix business will continue to be done over the branch line from Maricopa to the capital city.

#### DOINGS IN PHOENIX AND THE SALT RIVER VALLEY

From the Phoenix Enterprise.

The winter rush of easterners to Phoenix has begun. Thirty-three people were registered this morning at the three leading hotels.

Basing his calculations upon figures for the first ten months of this year, County Recorder Leonard today estimates that his office will during the year clear approximately \$10,000 over and above all expenses of the office.

From the Republican.

The contract for the brick work on the buildings of the beet sugar factory at Glendale were awarded by Contractor Hopke to C. H. Valentine and J. L. Perry, two well known brick masons of this city. The contract calls for the work to begin before Dec. 1 and the cost will run into figures between twenty-five and thirty thousand dollars. In the work over 2,000,000 brick will be used. Three buildings are included in the contract. A main building five stories in height, an engine house, machine shops, lime kiln and a warehouse. It will be remembered that the steel work on the buildings was completed a year ago by a former management of the Eastern Sugar company.

From the Republican.

The premium list of the first annual territorial fair is now printed and ready

for distribution. Those who have need of them can get them by calling on the superintendent at the post office building or by addressing him. The list is a book of 70 pages.

The second quarter of this year's term of the Tempe Normal school opened Monday with seven new students making a total enrollment of 229. This does not include training school students, but those of the normal proper and is the largest the school has ever enjoyed. It is larger now than at any time last year when there was one class now in the training school who were attending the normal proper.

Southwestern Stockman.

The Salt river valley is at an early date to have added to its already large stock ranches a stock farm which will make a specialty of Percheron horses and Hereford and Shorthorn cattle. The owner of the ranch is B. A. Packard who has large cattle and land interest in the southeastern part of the territory, located near Tempe on what is known as the Woolf ranch. Mr. Packard having bought the ranch from Mr. Woolf. A contract has been awarded to C. C. Campbell for the erection of a barn which will cost \$5000 and other buildings and improvements. Mr. Packard has seven head of registered Percheron stock, besides five head of high class stock not registered. The cattle with which he will stock the farm, of the breed referred to, are also many of them registered and winners of prizes at various stock and cattle shows. The real prize winner, however, in his particular line, is "Mikado," the highest bred jack in the United States.

#### WHAT HAS HAPPENED IN GRAHAM COUNTY

From the Clifton Era.

The Detroit Copper company is making arrangements to test a new portable lamp which is used in other localities for mine lighting.

The old suspension bridge which spanned the Frisco river near the post-office has been taken down. It is not needed since the erection of the new wagon bridge.

Newt. McKenzie, manager of the Shannon store at Metcalf, who had been sick with typhoid fever for some weeks past died at the Shannon hospital last week. His death will be a great surprise to his many friends, who were of the impression that he was improving. He was a very popular young man, having made many friends during his two years' residence here.

The cabin at the Chinese garden was dynamited on the night of Nov. 10 and Charlie Wing, the owner, was shot as he emerged from the house by a gang of Mexicans. Another Chinaman was shot in the knee. One of the gang was shot and, it is supposed, was severely wounded by a Chinaman employed at the garden. A few days later, Manuel Gonzales, a desperado, was killed by officers on Sardine creek while resisting arrest. He is supposed to have been implicated in the dynamiting and shooting of the Chinamen. Two other Mexican suspects were arrested at Silver City.

From the Bulletin.

The people of the Gila Valley and Globe are not satisfied with a 2 cent a mile rate to the Territorial Fair. A rate of \$10 for the round trip, which is made the Mining Congress at El Paso, should be made to Arizona's Fair.

Supervisor Billingsley has been granted a 60-day leave of absence and will go to Hot Springs, Arkansas, to take treatment at the sanitarium. He has been unwell for some time and recently suffered a slight paralytic stroke.

Louis Zeckendorf recently made a trip to Fort Thomas to examine his ranch, consisting of 1600 acres and an individual canal of nine miles in length, capable of irrigating all his land. Mr. Zeckendorf will make vast improvements and predicts that his lands will be worth \$100 an acre in a few years. He was pleased with his trip.

Mrs. D. W. Wickersham, who has been visiting friends in Safford and Solomonville for the past three weeks, returned to her home in Los Angeles, Cal., Saturday.

From the Safford Journal.

At the elegant home of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Solomon, in Solomonville, on Thursday night of last week, a "Kindergarten Party" was given complimentary to Mayor and Mrs. D. W. Wickersham of this city. All the guests appeared in kindergarten dress and Buster Brown, the Katzenjammer kids Jimmie, Willie and Katie were realistically portrayed. Refreshments were served and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Miss Blanche Solomon proved herself an adept in planning an evening's entertainment.

**PUSH RAILROAD WORK**—Robt. Bloomer, book keeper for Grant Brothers & Co., left Sunday for Denver, Colorado, to gather up a crew of 400 men and teams to go to work on the Phoenix & Eastern railroad line. It is the intention of the Grant Brothers & Co., evidently, to crowd work on their contracts during the coming cool weather. They now have a large force of men and teams at work on the extension of the line from Congress junction to the Colorado river and it is probable that the new force will be employed in extending the line from Winkelman, this county, eastward.—Florence Blade.

#### COCHISE COUNTY BUDGET CULLED FROM EXCHANGES

From the International-American.

Without warning to the guests of the Hotel Queen, that institution was closed this morning before breakfast, and at once a small army of workmen, composed of the hotel help and laborers picked up on the street, began moving the furniture out of the building. Every stick of furnishings, including the carpets and curtains, was taken out and is being moved to various parts of the town, where storage room can be found. Alderman Albert Stacey has been appointed receiver of the hotel pending the settlement of the law suit now in progress between the owners of the hotel and the Provident Mutual Loan Association of Los Angeles which holds a heavy mortgage on the building, and, it is said, on the furniture as well.

Col. J. F. Wilson may open a law office in Bisbee, in partnership with W. B. Cleary of Phoenix.

Before leaving her ranch Mrs. M. D. Teachout announced that the Pera ranch, cattle and brands had been sold to J. S. Douglas three days ago. The land consists of some 10,000 acres, most of which is under fence and is a part of a Spanish grant dating back to the middle of the eighteenth century. It is not known how many cattle are on hand but a roundup is going on now. Mrs. Teachout's foreman also sold his brands and cattle, some 400 in number, and will remain in charge of the ranch for Mr. Douglas.

From the Bisbee Review.

Lodging houses of the city are crowded to the limit. At no time in the history of the city has there been greater demand for accommodations of this character. This is in the face of the fact that within the last few months the lodging accommodations of the town have very nearly doubled over those available at this time last year. The men applying for quarters at present are in a large part miners who have come to seek positions here. Houses are just as short as lodging rooms. There is practically nothing at this time for rent.

From the International-American.

Typhoid fever seems to be on the increase in the northern section of Douglas. There have recently been reports of many cases and two deaths within the past two weeks have called added attention to the alarming conditions. The deaths were in the family of W. M. Carvin, whose two children died within two weeks of each other. The two children of W. A. Finley are also ill of the disease, while it is said that there are many other cases. Physicians in attendance say that they cannot account for the prevalence of the disease.

#### THE NEWS OF TUCSON AND OF PIMA COUNTY

The proposed issue of \$175,000 bonds by Tucson for city improvements failed to carry by the requisite two-thirds vote. The socialists are charged with defeating the proposition.

From the Tucson Citizen.

Suit has been commenced in the District court for the foreclosure of a mortgage, which Martin Costello asserts he holds against the Windsor hotel property, owned by Allen R. English of Tombstone. The defendants in the action are Allen R. English, Honora English and E. E. Penfrase. The last named is the new lessee of the hotel, having purchased the lease from J. B. Kelton.

Not only did the coroner's jury decide, yesterday afternoon, that Mrs. Humphrey Sullivan was murdered, but the jury also named Humphrey Sullivan as the murderer. This conclusion was reached after hearing testimony from several witnesses to the effect that the woman had been repeatedly beaten by Sullivan and that he had often threatened to kill her. There is still no trace of Sullivan, although it is not believed that he committed suicide. It is thought that he may possibly be in Cananea.

#### ITEMS FROM PRESCOTT AND YAVAPAI COUNTY

From the Prescott Herald.

Peter Sorensen, a miner, fell 50 feet down a shaft at the Sultan mine, sustaining fatal injuries. He died in the Mercy hospital, Prescott.

The Captain William O'Neill Rough Rider Monument Commission held a business meeting last week at which some plans, drawn by Architect Minor, were considered and various designs which have been submitted for the monument were inspected. A committee to solicit contributions for the monument fund from the citizens of Prescott was appointed. At the next regular meeting the committee expects to be able to proceed with the erection of the monument.

One of the most complete Harvey hotels on the western divisions of the Santa Fe will be built at Ash Fork in the near future. Plans for the hotel and a new depot have arrived from Los Angeles and it has been learned that the new structures will involve an outlay of \$115,000.

The ground is being broken for the extension of the street railway down Cortez street to the depot. It is understood that there will be a double switch at the intersection of Gourley and Cortez streets.

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